

Local Group Optimistic

"At a time like this, the first step is to get across to the people there is a problem," said DeWayne Brown this week in a personal reflection of the American Agriculture's efforts to tell the farm story in

Washington.

Brown was one of 18 local farmers and businessmen who returned last week from the Nation's Capitol.

"My impression," he says, "is that there'll be something come

from it . . . that's why they're setting up the hearings. I think the farm agriculture movement has grown beyond what anyone thought it would and it's getting stronger every day."

Brown says that 100 percent

parity is "not unreasonable."

"I think the farmer deserves 100% parity but I also believe the effect it would have on the economy, it'll have to be gradual until it reaches that point."

"We're not receiving the full benefits of the 1977 farm act that's already been passed. Secretary Bergland is holding discretionary options that could give some immediate relief -- increased supports -- set-asides. That's already approved."

Farmers State Bank president James Werner was also in Washington along with Harold Bob Bennett, Alan McLain, Bobby McLain, Weldon Jones, Mike Reed, Doug Higgins, Eddie Cook, Danny George, Bill Rich, David Nelson, Vic Nelson, Ray Clark, Frank Hooper, Freddy Upshaw, Lewis Huseman and John Schacker. Mrs. Bill Rich and Tracy were also in the group.

Some of the persons the group met with were Senator Jack Hightower; John Baise, chief clerk for the livestock and grain house agriculture committee and Larry Meyers, liaison between the Senate and USDA.

"He is the one who sells the farm program to them," said Brown.

George Mahon met with the farm group on numerous occasions. "His office is really

putting forth efforts, he's the farmer's best help."

Stans Berry and Mr. Casso, staff members of the senate ag committee, were visited by the local group as well as Martin Bisnow, agriculture assistant to Senator Heinz of Pennsylvania, and Allen Grommet of the budget committee staff.

Others were Jim Culver, economist for the house ag committee; Claude Freeman, second highest official with ASCS; Jim Lee, FHA; Dr. Kelly Harrison, Commodity Credit Corporation; Senator Talmadge and Congressman Robert Krueger of New Braunfels.

"Probably our two most important meetings," Brown said, "were set up through Mahon. We got into see Eric Robertson, agriculture branch chief of the Office of Management and Budget, and had three people get in to see Lynn Daft, a White House aide, President Carter's domestic council ag advisor."

Brown commended the local representatives saying, "Our people who went were willing to work."

Questioned about the reaction of the "ordinary Washingtonian" - the man on the street, the cab driver and such, Brown said they found the people "most sympathetic" to the American agriculturist.

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Water Project Studied

Mayor Frank Barnes and City Commissioners Bob Bowden and W.T. King met last week in Dimmitt with FHA representatives regarding the proposed water improvements for the city.

Word was received in December that the city had been approved for a \$65,000 grant and matching loan to be used in updating present facilities and adding new on-the-ground storage.

A major breakdown or other serious problem, with the city's present facilities, could result in a crisis for the city and all residents. The proposed improvements would alleviate such a threat.

At present, city officials are studying different avenues of meeting the obligations of the \$65,000 loan. FHA regulations,

however, require that a bond election be called.

"This is standard procedure," City Secretary Virginia Reed said this week. "It's assurance to them that they will be paid back."

Efforts are being made to carry out the program without

an increase in taxes.

"The City Commission feels that now, with the 50 percent grant, is the time to make these improvements. If we don't, we are facing a future possibility of having to make the improvements and our raising the entire amount."

Local FFA'ers Exhibit, Win Ribbons In Hereford

Members of Hart Future Farmers exhibited last week in the Hereford Young Farmer Livestock Show and captured a number of wins.

Eliazar Castillo showed the Champion Chester White, a barrow that earlier had been named the top heavyweight entry. Reserve champion Chester was exhibited by Kent Hill whose lightweight barrow was picked best in his class.

Vic Hart showed the second place jumbo Duroc with Lana Tucker claiming third place and Reent Upshaw, seventh, in that category.

Marlin Marble showed the third place heavy Hampshire with Glen Black taking fifth place.

Exhibiting crossbreds, Ficky Rowland's entry placed fourth and Upshaw, seventh, in the heavyweight division. Don Davis took 12th place. In the jumbo class, Larry Marble showed the fifth place entry.

Kelly Jones showed the fifth

place heavy Chester; Pat Ritter, ninth, lightweight.

Stephen Brantley finished 18th in the lightweight other purebreds class.

Exhibiting lambs, Connie Beavers placed seventh with her heavy medium wool; Vic Hart, 11th in the light heavy and Wade Carson, 11th medium weight.

Lori Barnes placed 11th with a medium weight fine wool cross.

Local FFA'ers are working hard getting ready for exhibition in the El Paso Exposition.

The Hart and Castro County shows are slated for Feb. 16-18 when local youngsters will exhibit 25 lambs, 60 barrows and one steer.

Houston Livestock Show, billed as the largest junior livestock show in the world, has been a big one for Hart youth in past years. HHS - Future Farmers will leave Feb. 27 to participate in the 1978 version.

Rhoads Memorial Library Features Story Hour

Rhoads Memorial Library in Dimmitt is participating in the "Manpower Program," with three Dimmitt High School girls working after school. Each works twenty hours a week.

The Library also participates in the Green Thumb Program in Castro County. Two Green Thumb members Lewis Allen and Myrtle Behrends, work in the library twenty four hours a week each. They help at the desk and take care of various chores. The staff really

appreciates their help too.

A story hour is held at 1:30 p.m. every afternoon. It lasts about an hour and all pre-school age children are invited. Mrs. Geneva Howe is the story teller. At 4 p.m. there are films for the after-school crowd.

Brick Autry is librarian. He is assisted by Marie Howell. Autry, a native Oklahoman, did his prior library work on Indian Reservations in Arizona. He is a member of the Creek Indian Tribe. Mrs. Howell is a native West Texan from Idalou.

Heart Fund Dance Slated

The Fourth Annual Heart Fund dance will be held Saturday, Feb. 4 beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the exposition building in Dimmitt. All proceeds will go to the Castro County Heart Fund.

No admission will be charged, contributions will be accepted.

A number of valuable prizes will be given away. There will be square and round dancing with spectators invited.

Immunization Clinic Set

An immunization clinic will be held Tuesday, Feb. 28 from 9 a.m. until 12 noon in Hart Elementary School. The clinic is sponsored by the Texas Department of Health and there is no charge for immunizations.

Vaccines will be offered for polio, diphtheria, lock jaw, whooping cough, measles and rubella.

Henshaw Rites Held Tuesday

Rites were conducted Tuesday afternoon in Frederick, Okla. for Raymond Henshaw, 79, longtime resident.

Henshaw died Sunday in Oklahoma City where he had lived four months. He had lived in the Hart community 25 years.

Survivors include a brother, K.C. Henshaw, and a niece, Joyce Bodin, both of Oklahoma City.

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IN MULESHOE

Visiting Henry "Pop" Hendrix in a Muleshoe hospital Thursday were Mmes. Dwight Miller, Deryl Clevenger, Harold Bass and Myrt Loman. En-route home they visited the Hendrix' granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hilbert Wisian.

HOSPITALIZED

Mrs. Iva Stanton is in Medical City Hospital in North Dallas, resting well. Her address is 47777, Forest Lane, North Dallas, Tex. 75230, Room 816A.

LUBBOCK VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. F.A. Smith visited recently with his mother Mrs. F.A. Cannon and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith, all of Lubbock.

IN AMARILLO

Mrs. Bessie Mae Cox spent the weekend in Amarillo and visited with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cox.

HOSPITALIZED

Let McLain is in Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview.

Oratorical Contest Slated In Tulia, Area Youth Invited

Swisher Electric Cooperative's (Tulia) Government-In-Action oratorical contest will be Tuesday evening, Mar. 7, 6:30 p.m. at K-Bob's Steakhouse in Tulia. A banquet for all contestants, instructors, judges and each of their families will precede the contest.

Following the banquet, the contest will get underway at Swisher Electric's 'Willie Room' at approximately 7:30 p.m. Winners of the contest, one boy and one girl, will receive an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. for 12 days in June. They will travel to Washington with approximately 30 other students from all over Texas and join approximately 30 other students from

all over the country.

Judges will select an alternate boy and girl who will each receive a \$25 U.S. Government Savings Bond. The high schools of the winning

Sitton Rites

Held Wednesday

Services were held Wednesday in First Baptist Church in Idalou for John Frank Sitton Jr., 59, of Route 7, Lubbock, former resident of Hart.

The Rev. Larry Heard, pastor, and the Rev. Vestal Blakely, missionary to Kenya, officiated. Burial was in Idalou Cemetery.

Sitton died Monday at his home. He was a native of Abilene and moved to Petersburg in 1931. Following his discharge from the U.S. Army Air Corps, he returned to Petersburg and began farming. He farmed at Hart five years before moving to Idalou in 1957.

He was married to the former Earnestine Pharr Nov. 25, 1943 in Bryan. He was a member and deacon in Idalou's First Baptist Church and former board member of the Southwest Lighthouse for the Blind at Lubbock.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Alice Summers of O'Donnell and Mrs. Joyce Graves of Idalou; three sons, Don and Lon of Lubbock and Jon of Houston; two sisters and three grandsons.

Party Honors

Christi Cariker

Valentine decorations provided the theme Monday afternoon for a farewell party given by Mrs. Soila Sarabia honoring Christi Cariker.

Chips, dips, snacks and drinks were served to Christi Rowland, Jana Werner, Gayla Kittrell, Brenda Reyna, Teresa Jackson, Cheryl McLain, Joanna Ramirez, Kim Foster, Kyle Allen, David Wall, Willie and Demetrio Rubio and Lori Sarabia.

Karen Foster

On Dean's List

Karen Foster, 1976 graduate of Hart High School, has been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at West Texas State University.

The dean's list represents students who have a semester grade point average of 3.25 to 3.84 for a semester load of 12 hours or more.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wamon Foster, the honor student is a sophomore computer and information systems major.

IN HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Cox visited Saturday in Muleshoe with Henry Hendrix.

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students will receive a plaque to be placed in the school trophy case, recognizing the school and the student.

Swisher Electric has in file a letter from the current Director of UIL expressing his opinion that students participating in League activities would not be violating League rules if they participated in this contest.

A preliminary contest is scheduled Tuesday, Feb. 28, 6:30 p.m. at Swisher Electric's 'Willie Room', Tulia. Sandwiches and drinks will be served prior to the contest which will begin at 7:30 p.m. Judges will select 8-14 finalists to advance to the Mar. 7 contest.

An information session for all students and instructors will be held Monday, Feb. 13, 7 p.m. at Swisher Electric Cooperative's 'Willie Room', 401 SW 2nd, Tulia. A 30-minute film will be shown and questions will be answered following the film. Snacks will be furnished.

The deadline for entry forms and written summaries of talks to be in the office of Swisher Electric Cooperative is 5 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 23.

Young people desiring more information may contact the high school speech instructor or contact Swisher Electric Cooperative, P.O. Box 67, Tulia, Tx. 79088, phone 995-3567.

IN SPUR

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warren, Kenneth Warren and John Ray Holloway of Lubbock spent Saturday night with Mrs. Vera Holloway in Spur and attended a birthday dinner Sunday honoring Holloway. Also visiting there were Mr. and Mrs. Harley Holloway and family.

AUNTS VISIT

Mrs. Jean Olson and Barbara Sue Adams and Tracy, all of Amarillo, visited Sunday with their niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bowden, Tamara and Robin.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. W.H. Felder is a patient in Plains Memorial Hospital Dimmitt.

PICK THEM UP

The Hospitality Committees of First Baptist Church and First United Methodist Church request persons to pick up dishes which they have left at the churches on various occasions recently.

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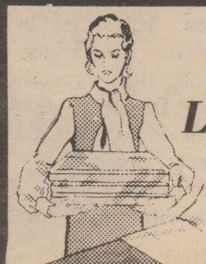
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HART BEAT PRESENTS - Tamie Jo Welder, five months, is pictured here at two and a half months. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Welder. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mike Welder of Glencross, S.D. Mr. and Mrs. Allen E. Irons are her maternal grandparents.

'Note Of Spring' Pageant Slated March 11 In Olton

Local misses are invited to participate in a "Note of Spring" Pageant Saturday, Mar. 11 in the Olton High School Auditorium. The

Grandfather's Rites Conducted

Mrs. Erma Vasquez and daughter, Twila, attended funeral services Monday in Deer Island, Ore. for her grandfather, Winfred Irving Lasson, 97.

Mr. Lasson died Thursday in St. Helen Medical Clinic following a stroke.

Other survivors include his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Jewel Mooneyham of Scapoose, Ore., Mrs. Lesley Thomas of Idaho and Mrs. Irene Hacker, of Deer Park, former Hart resident; a son, Earl Lasson of Los Angeles, Calif. and a host of grandchildren.

SUPPER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cariker, Mike and Christi were supper guests of Rev. and Mrs. Lanny Wheeler and family Friday night.

pageant is being sponsored by Olton Band Boosters.

Four age divisions will comprise the contest for beauty and poise. Three winners will be selected from each group - girls three through six; seven through ten; 11 through 14 and 15 and older. Winners will receive trophies.

A workshop and rehearsal will be offered prior to the contest. Entry deadline is Mar. 4. Additional information will be available next week.

Proceeds of the pageant will be used to finance the Mustang Band's competition trip in May.

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Mr. Garza-Miss Gonzales Wed Recently In Alamo

Wedding vows were solemnized recently in St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Alamo for Miss Silvia Gonzales and Raul Balli Garza.

The Rev. Augustin Pacheco officiated the double ring rites before an altar decorated with baskets of white gladioli and mums accented with fern and bows. Family pews were marked with white satin bows.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Arturo Gonzales and Mr. and Mrs. Seferino Garza, all of Alamo.

The bride wore a formal length gown fashioned for her by her aunt, Martha Gonzales. The underskirt and cathedral train were of satin with overlay of organza enhanced with floral appliques adorned with pearls and sequins. The fitted bodice was embellished with re-embroidered lace and featured a high neckline above a sheer yoke which fastened in the back with tiny, soft covered buttons attached to a small cape trimmed with lace, pearls and sequins. Her illusion veil swept cathedral length.

She carried a bouquet of red roses, white seed pearls and baby's breath.

Maids of honor were Misses Mary Lou and Abby Mancias. They were gowned in formal length dresses of white satin fashioned with ruffle accents at the low necklines and hemlines. They carried bouquets of pom poms in shades of burgundy and pink.

Bridesmaids were Misses Rosa Linda Rodriguez of Alamo, Jenny Garza of San Juan, Ofelia Coronado of Edinburg, Martha Salinas of Mission, Mary Gallegos of McAllen and Adelaida Cuellar of Phoenix, Ariz.

They wore floor length dresses of maroon with matching short jackets with fur trim at the collar and cuffs. They wore small matching hats and carried bouquets similar to

the maids of honor.

Flower girls were Eydie and Mandy Garza, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Chavel Garza. They wore floor length dresses of maroon velveteen with white eyelet ruffled aprons and carried miniature bouquets of maroon and pink pom poms. They were escorted by Markie Escobar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Escobar, and D.J. Garza, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Garza.

Danny Garza was best man. Groomsmen were Sal Guzman, Ramiro Casares, Roy Martinez, Mauro Valdez, Rodrigo Salinas and Jesus Morales. Guests were seated by Ronnie Garza, nephew of the bride, and Dale Garza, nephew of the groom.

A reception was held in Triple City ballroom in San Juan.

The main table and serving tables were laid with white cloths accented with greenery and centerpieces of gladioli and mums sprayed in dusty rose and burgundy.

The wedding cake was a five-tiered confection on classic pedestals with ivory icing. It was decorated with light pink and burgundy roses and was topped with a miniature bride and groom with bells and doves. The bridegroom's cake was chocolate spice with dripping chocolate frosting.

Guests were registered by Misses Connie Beltran of Mission and Elene Elizalde of Alamo.

The bride is a graduate of Hart High School. She attended Pan American University and is correspondence secretary for Crest Fruit Company in Alamo.

Garza graduated from Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School and TSTI. He is employed by Turner, Rome, Boultinghouse Architects of McAllen.

Attending from Hart were Mr. and Mrs. Genaro Mancias and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tomas Gonzales, Mr. and Mrs. Chavel Garza and family and Mr. and Mrs. Nabor Coronado.

FROM FLOYDADA

Sunday dinner guests of Jud Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davis were her mother and stepfather Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Gilly and her grandfather, Dozier Dillard, all of Floydada.



MRS. RAUL BALLI GARZA

Christi Cariker Is Honored

GA's of First Baptist Church honored Christi Cariker Friday after school with a going-away party. Games were played and refreshments of cup cakes and drinks were served.

Guests presented the honoree with gifts and a corsage.

Attending were Risha Ammons, Jana Upton, Kim Clark, Sharmon Bass, Jana Werner, JaDonna Johnston, Judy Mauk, Mary Kay Mapp, Cynthia George, Teresa Jackson and GA sponsors, Mmes. Mack Davis and Don Johnston.

Installation Service Follows 'Bee' Theme

Helpful hints were shared by members at Tuesday's meeting of the Zealot Club. Mrs. Hubert McLain was hostess with Mmes. Lorenzo Lee and Preston Upshaw assisting.

Mrs. Cecil Ray Jones related, "The silliest conflict my

Card Of Thanks

To All Our Friends in Hart:

How can we say thanks for all the things you've done for us. Things so undeserved, yet you did them to show your love. If there is to be any credit let it be to God! We praise God for the almost 3 years we lived in Hart. We hope to see all of you someday, if not on this side, for sure when we all get to heaven.

Serendipity
"The Carikers"

Joe, Mary, Mike & Christi

Party Honors Mike Cariker

Mike Cariker was feted Saturday night with a farewell party. Hosting the event in the Bill Rich barn were Mr. and Mrs. Rich, Derek and Tracy.

Individual gifts and a money tree were presented to the HHS sophomore who is moving with his parents to Weslaco.

Attending were Lori Barnes, LuDonne Bonsal, Cindy Brooks, Van Burrus, Laurey Franks, Don Davis, Daniel Higgins, Scott Jones, Teresa Kittrell, Marlin Marble, Keith Newsom, Glen Snitker, Lana Tucker, Mark Werner, Betsy Berry, Chad Black, Tamera Bowden, Sheila Brooks, B.J. Brantley, Ronnie Garza, Bennie McLain, Matt King and Tonda Billingsley of Lubbock.

Lisa Nelson

On Dean's List

Lisa Nelson has been named to the dean's honor list at McMurry College. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Nelson, she is a business major.

To be eligible for the academic honor, students must achieve a grade point average of 3.5 or higher and must be enrolled in a minimum of 12 semester hours per semester.

Miss Nelson is a graduate of Hart High School.

Shower Fetes

Mrs. Murray

Mrs. Richard Murray was complimented with a pink and blue shower Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Freddy Upshaw. Assisting as hostesses were Mmes. Larry Lee and Greg Crosby.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Lee.

A Humpty Dumpty lamp centered the white laid party table and was a hostess gift to the honoree. Cookies and punch were served by Mrs. Crosby.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Lena Maples returned home Saturday from Amarillo where she had been for two weeks with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Maples and the grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Herring and Shanell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schoen and Mike and Elaine Maples.

WEEKEND VISITS

Deryl Davis spent the weekend with his uncle, aunt and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Roberson and family of Amherst. Diane Davis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mapp and family. They are son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Davis.

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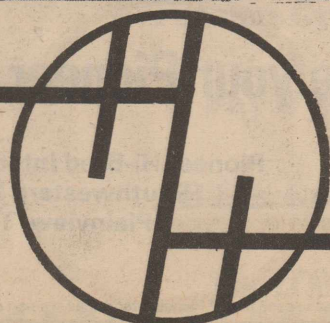
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Officers assuming duties were Mrs. F.A. Smith, president; Mrs. Curtis Snitker, vice president; Mrs. Claude Ray, secretary; Mrs. Lorenza Lee, treasurer; Mrs. Jack Burkhalter, reporter; Mrs. W.D. Bell, parliamentarian and Mrs. Howard Mitchell, historian.

Others attending were Mmes. Ed Ammons, Dudley Aven, Mack Davis, Jack Dyer, C.C. Hanes, Warren Lemons, Cleve McLain and Lanny Wheeler.

FROM LAMESA

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Shofner and Amy of Lamesa spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brooks.

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MRS. LANNY TUCKER



Cook of the Week

A love for teenagers made Mary Alice Tucker's home in Plainview a popular place when her own children were "at home." A resident of Hart now and Mrs. Lanny Tucker, her home still has that same appeal.

Mary Alice grew up in Plainview and says she was a school secretary "a lot of years." She has a daughter, Carla, who is married and lives in Plainview. Her son, Larry, lives in Lubbock as does Lanny's Jim who is married and the father of a six months old son.

Lana, 15, helps Mary Alice keep in step with the active life of teenagers.

Mary Alice became a booster of Lanny's FFA'ers even before show competition began and is

also proud of their accomplishments.

Playing tennis is one of Mary Alice's favorite things. She also loves bridge. She is becoming a fisherman.

Possessing a green thumb, the Tucker home is filled with plants that have responded to her touch. She also enjoys antiques, especially treasuring those that are family pieces.

Mary Alice shares a recipe for okra gumbo that was always a hit with friends of her children. She has also received compliments for the other recipes she shares.

CINNAMON APPLE SALAD

6 apples
1/2 c red cinnamon candies (red
hots)

1/4 c sugar
2 c water
2 T broken nuts
10 dates, pitted & chopped
1/2 c diced pineapple
1/4 c salad dressing

Pare and core apples. Cook candies and sugar in water until dissolved. Add whole apples and cook slowly until transparent but not soft. Chill. Combine remaining ingredients, stuff apples with mixture and serve on lettuce. Serves 6.

SPANISH GRITS

2 c grits, cooked according to pkg. directions
While hot, add:
1 stick oleo
3 c sharp cheese, grated
4 eggs, well beaten
2 - 4 oz cans chopped green chilies
2 t tabasco sauce
2 pods garlic, crushed
salt & pepper to taste

Bake in casserole, uncovered 1 hour in 350° oven.

SHRIMP DIP

1 - 8 oz pkg cream cheese
1 carton sour cream
1 c mayonnaise
1/3 c lemon juice
2 t Worcestershire sauce
2 dashes garlic salt
cayenne pepper (cover top liberally)

In blender, thoroughly blend ingredients together. Add two

4 oz cans deveined shrimp, cut in pieces. (Do not blend shrimp). Chill overnight or at least 8 hours.

OKRA GUMBO

1 lb ground beef
2 cans okra (or 4 c fresh cut up okra)
2 c cooked pinto beans
1 can whole kernel corn
1 can tomatoes
1 can chili without beans
Brown beef in heavy skillet. Add remaining ingredients. Mix well and bake in 350° oven till bubbly. Freezes well.

SKI TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Smith of Olton and Teri and Kelly King spent the weekend skiing at Angel Fire, N.M. Jaime Smith visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.T. King, while her parents were skiing.



Feb. 6-10

MONDAY - Chicken pot pie, mixed vegetables, tossed salad, peanut butter, brownies and milk.

TUESDAY - Enchilada casserole, tortilla, green salad, buttered corn, apple cobbler and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Steak, hot rolls, creamed potatoes, green beans, cake and milk.

THURSDAY - Sloppy Joes on homemade bun, pinto beans, pickles, onions, peaches and milk.

FRIDAY - Fried fish, tarter sauce, cole slaw, blackeyed peas, apricot cobbler and milk.

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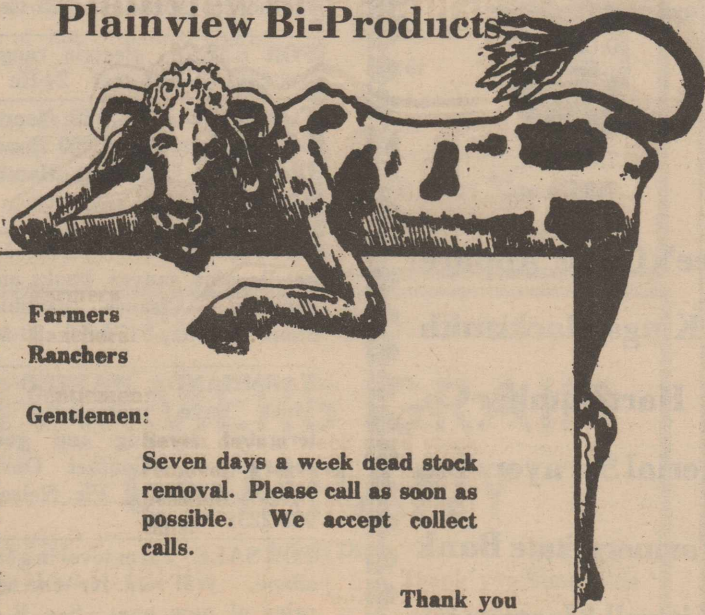
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On The Hard Court

VARSITY

Glen Black led the scoring with 20 in the Longhorns 57-68 defeat by the Kangaroos of Kress Tuesday night.

Varsity girls lost a close one Tuesday night, 50-51. Melanie Upshaw was leading scorer with 29 points. The home team lead 15-12 at the end of the first and 28-24 at halftime.

"We've got our backs to the wall now," said Coach Kim Ratliff. "It's up to us to make something happen. We just need a little confidence and we can't wait a week to get it back."

"We feel we belong in the top four in district but we have to prove it on the court. Our defense played one of their better games but Kress had a good shooting night too."

"On offense, we moved the ball pretty well but we missed some crucial shots because we were pressing ourselves."

Friday night's action found the girls back on the winning side as they picked up a 59-51 victory over Farwell on their home court.

Melanie Upshaw scored 26; Stacy Averitt, 20.

Coach Ratliff said, "We moved the ball a lot better on offense and got some good shots even though we rushed a few and missed them. Farwell shot the ball real well but our defense still looked pretty good."

"Connie Beavers played one of her best games all year. We still need to cut down on turnovers on both ends."

"We led by 15 points with three minutes to go but our second team offense had a little trouble getting cranked up."

JUNIOR VARSITY

It took three overtimes Tuesday night to determine the winner in the boys JV action.

Hart emerged with a 56-55 victory.

Benny McLain scored 14 points as leader.

Coach Carl Neinast happily described the game. "The boys overcame an 11 point lead with the entire team playing well. Benny put the last shot of the third overtime in with six seconds on the clock."

"Scott Jones controlled the defensive boards, keeping Hart in the game. Mike Cariker, Daniel Higgins, John Barretero and Luis Villegas all added points and played well on defense."

JUNIOR HIGH

Competing in the Eighth Grade Tournament, the seventh grade girls lost Thursday to Cotton Center's eighth grade, 20-26.

Linda Washington scored eight; Nena Castillo, six.

Coach Ratliff said, "Cotton Center shot the ball very well against us while we missed good shots and took a lot of bad shots. We had a poor last quarter and that hurt us a lot too."

"The kids played a lot better against Dimmitt Saturday," she said. "Everyone got to play and did a fine job. The kids were determined not to finish last, even though they were seventh graders."

The 25-6 victory gave the girls third place."

Linda Washington scored nine; Grace Bonsal, six.

Hart's eighth grade girls whipped Dimmitt 26-11 Thursday. Teresa Mapp led the scoring with 16 points.

"A good job by the entire team," praised Coach Ratliff. "We moved the ball a lot better on offense and shut down Dimmitt's inside game on defense. Teresa had probably her best game."

Teresa scored 11 in the girls' 22-33 loss in the championship tilt.

"We just couldn't hit the basket in the first half," said Coach Ratliff. "The second half, we moved the ball better and made our shots outscoring Cotton Center 14 to 9. They had a good ball club and shot the ball very well."

WIN CHAMPIONSHIP

Hart eighth grade boys captured the championship trophy in their own tourney last weekend.

Meeting Dimmitt's C team in the Thursday opener, the locals won 44-33. Derek Rich led the scoring with 19. Roy Martinez scored 11; Jorge Barretero, eight.

Coach Santry Rush said, "Gabriel Montiel did a fine job for Dimmitt, coming off the bench and scoring 10 points to keep Dimmitt very well in the game for more than three quarters. Roy Martinez came alive in the fourth and scored six of Hart's 12 points in that period and proving too much for the hustling Bobcats."

"Hart played very well as a team," said Rush. "A little slow on defense at times but overall they did an excellent job."

Cotton Center was the foe for

the championship tilt. A much taller team, they were quick to take an 11-4 lead in the first quarter. Hart made it 21-15 at halftime.

"Rejuvenated from their second quarter comeback, the Shorthorns played spirited basketball the second half," Rush said. "Excellent shooting by Derek Rich and Jorge Barretero and excellent ball handling by Chris Clifford highlighted the second half."

Final score in the "real barn burner" was 39-38.

Seventh grade boys took the consolation win Saturday, a 27-25 victory over Dimmitt's C team. Leonard Washington scored 11; Alex Carrasco, 10.

"Good aggressive defense and cool, disciplined offense was the key to their victory," said Coach Mike Martin. "They also showed a lot of hustle and brilliant team effort."

Thursday's action found the team losing 11-25 to Cotton Center's combined team of sixth, seventh and eighth graders.

Martin said, "Hart displayed one of its most hustling games of the year as they constantly proved to be a thorn in the paw of the much larger team."

"Although Cotton Center went on to win the game, they knew they had to play their hardest. It was a tremendous, tenacious effort exhibited by the Hart boys."

Seventh grade boys collected a 25-16 win Monday night at

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WEEKEND VISIT

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Basketball

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Springlake-Earth. Alex Carasco and Leonard Washington scored eight each.

"Things got pretty close in the third quarter as S-E closed the gap to 15-14," said Martin. "But the Shorthorns burst into action and were not intimidated. A good effort as everyone got to play."

Derek Rich scored 11 and Jorge Barretero, 10, in the eighth grades 31-33 loss.

"A slow first quarter proved disastrous in the end in spite of a tremendous comeback by the Shorthorns," said Rush. "The Horns scored only two points the first quarter as they could not make the ball go into the hole no matter how easy the shot. But they did not give up. They mounted an attack that gave them a 31-30 lead halfway through the fourth quarter. But it was not to be. There were too many turnovers early in the game."

"We got into foul trouble early and weren't able to play as aggressively as we like," said Coach Ratliff of her seventh grade girls 19-20 loss to Springlake. "Our inside game was open but we weren't getting Linda Booe and Linda Washington the ball. Turnovers also hurt us a great deal."

Leading scorers were Robin Bowden with six; Grace Bonsal, five.

Suzahn Rowland scored eight to lead the eighth grade girls in a 19-28 defeat Monday.

Coach Ratliff said, "We played real well in the first and last quarters but the second and third really hurt us. (Two points in the second and none in the third). We're still having trouble rushing our shots."

DAUGHTER VISITS

Mrs. Dan Adkisson of Houston is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Let McLain and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve McLain and children.

VISIT SISTER

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kittrell and Gayla and Mr. and Mrs. Tom McLain visited their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Benson, Brad and Kerry in Bangs Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Kittrell and Gayla went to Austin to attend the Texas Electronic Association quarterly meeting. Mr. and Mrs. McLain remained with the Bensons through Sunday when the Kittrells returned and all returned home.

SUNDAY VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brooks and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wall and David and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Shofner and Amy visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brooks and family in Clovis, N.M.

IN OLTON

Mr. and Mrs. James Kennedy visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Kennedy and his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Kennedy, all of Olton.

Irene's Ideas

By Irene Keating

This week I have a very special recipe to share with you. Everyone who has used this recipe or tasted these rolls, has nothing but praise for them. Mrs. Peggy West shares her roll/bread recipe. It is failure proof and if you have any questions about it, Peggy welcomes your call. Her number is 647-4564. She did tell me that when she made these rolls in the valley, they didn't rise well; so keep this in mind when you share the recipe

or use it elsewhere than at home.

In a jelly glass (tall) combine these ingredients: 2 pkgs. dry yeast, 2 T sugar, glass $\frac{1}{2}$ full of warm water, 110° to 120° (about $\frac{3}{4}$ cup).

Let this mixture rise to top of glass before you put it in the dough. If it doesn't rise this high, throw it out and make another batch.

In a huge dishpan or bowl, place 5 pounds of flour and make a well in it (hole). Into

this well put: 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ t. salt, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ c. sugar, handful of shortening (about $\frac{1}{2}$ cup) 4 eggs (optional, but sure improves rolls), 1 qt. warm water (110° to 120°).

Add yeast mixture to this. Mix thoroughly with your hands till smooth. (May need to add a bit more flour). Cover and let rise in a warm place till double in bulk. Punch down and let rise again. (Peggy says if you're in a hurry, you can get by with only letting it rise once -- also the warmer the weather or room, the quicker it doubles in volume.) Pinch off dough carefully and shape into loaves if desired and place in greased loaf pan filled $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{3}$ so it has ample room to rise again. Peggy said this recipe makes 4 loaves of bread. Bake 45 min.

at 350°. She sometimes puts foil over her bread so the top won't get too dark. Brush baked bread with oleo as soon as you take it out of the oven.

To make cinnamon rolls, pinch off about $\frac{1}{4}$ of the dough for 18 rolls and roll on a floured surface. Spread from $\frac{1}{2}$ to one carton of sour cream over dough and sprinkle twice with sugar. (Cream will soak up part of sugar.) Sprinkle with cinnamon and roll up pulling dough toward you. Slice thin and place in a greased pan. Let rise and then bake for 25 min. at 425° and brush with oleo as soon as they're done and remove from pan.

Some people think burdock leaves will cure fevers.

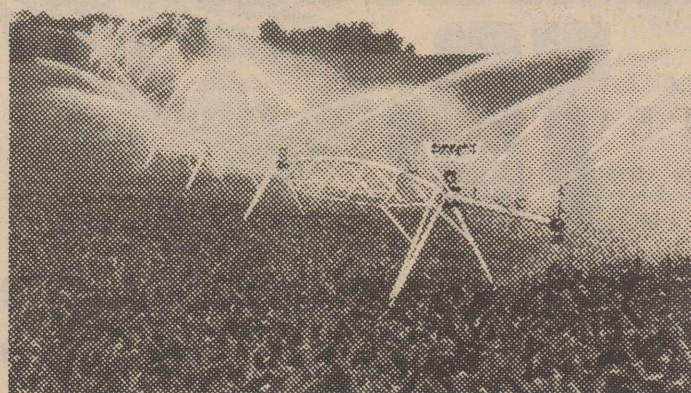
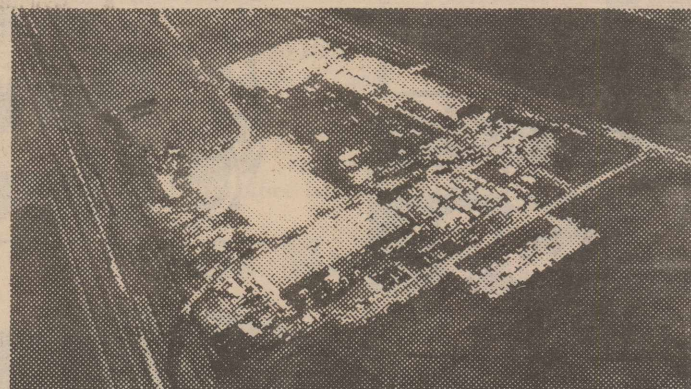
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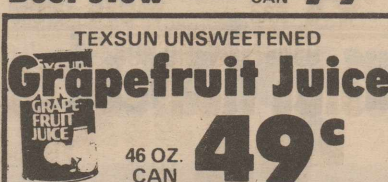
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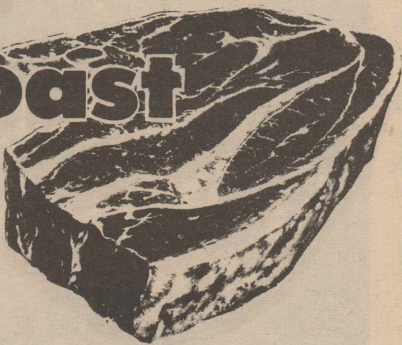
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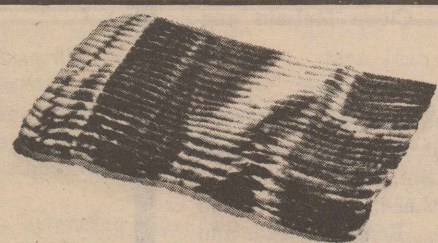
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